

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 529

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A RESOLUTION to honor Sara Carter, 1998 Valedictorian of
Portland High School.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this General Assembly honor those individuals who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment have achieved excellence in their academic careers; and

WHEREAS, Sara Carter is one such outstanding student who has distinguished herself as valedictorian of the 1998 graduating class at Portland High School; and

WHEREAS, through long hours of diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and untiring commitment of time and talent, Sara Carter has achieved extraordinary academic success, and has joined the ranks of the elite students of Tennessee and our nation; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Carter was a very influential member of the student body at Portland High School, serving as Student Council treasurer, as a member of the National Council for the Social Studies, International Club, and the Drama Club; and

WHEREAS, a member of the National Beta Club and National Honor Society, Sarah has earned an exceptional grade point average during her laudable high school career; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Carter also devotes her time and immeasurable talents as a participant in the Volunteer Walk for Cancer, Volunteer Earth Day clean-up, and as kindergarten arts projects volunteer to name a few; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Carter's display of intellectual prowess and inner drive surely bodes well for her future success; and

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WHEREAS, Ms. Carter's noteworthy achievement is a great source of pride for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Carter, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Carter's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor 1998 Portland High School Valedictorian, Sara Carter, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.